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# RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed July 19, 2002. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

### FEE CALCULATION

No additional fee is required for claims.

# **CONTINGENT EXTENSION REQUEST**

If this communication is filed after the shortened statutory time period had elapsed and no separate Petition is enclosed, the Director of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

#### **AMENDMENTS**

\_\_\_\_ If checked, amendment(s) to the specification and/or claims are submitted herewith.